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AMENDMENT OR RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION--TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment after final rejection (37 C.F.R. 1.116) for this application. 1.

STATUS

Applicant is a small entity A statement was already filed. 2.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10*

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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5. Attached is a check in the amount of \$200.00.

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Response To Final Office Action

Dear Sir:

This response is being filed in response to the outstanding Office Action dated August 22, 2005.

The <u>claims</u> as amended begin on page 3 of the response;

The <u>remarks</u> begin on page 10 of the response;